



# Calaveras Big Trees State Park

## North Grove and Oak Hollow Campgrounds

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*Welcome to Calaveras Big Trees State Park. In order to better serve you, we are providing the following information to make your stay safer and more enjoyable.*

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### **CAMPGROUND OCCUPANCY:**

Each standard campsite is allowed to have up to eight people and two vehicles. Vehicles include both motor vehicles and trailers. If a third vehicle is registered to that campsite, it must be parked in the overflow parking area except when actively loading or unloading.

**CAMPING FEES:** When you pay for your campsite, either through the reservation system, or at the park, the fee covers one motor vehicle. A second motor vehicle or an overflow motor vehicle costs an additional fee.

**CHECK-OUT TIME:** Check-out time is promptly at noon. If you wish to extend your stay, you may re-register at the entrance station as long as space is available. If you would like to stay in the park later than noon on your check-out day, you must vacate your campsite and move to one of the day-use areas.

**QUIET HOURS:** Quiet hours are from 10 p.m. to 8 a.m. Radios and other sound-producing devices must not be audible beyond your immediate campsite, regardless of the time of day. Generators may only be used from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

**MESSAGES:** Post all messages on the message board at the park entrance.

**FIRES:** Fires must be confined to either stoves provided by the park or in metal containers off the ground. Fires are not allowed in makeshift rock fire rings, on tables, or on the ground. Bring your own firewood or purchase it in the park. All natural materials in the park are protected by law, so please do not

gather down wood, pine needles, cones or twigs.

**HIKING TRAILS:** Several interesting hiking trails have their own brochures. Brochures can be purchased at the visitor center or trailhead.

**INTERPRETIVE PROGRAMS:** Throughout the summer months, we provide regularly scheduled interpretive programs for your interest and enjoyment. Activities include campfire programs, guided walks and Junior Rangers.

**BIKING:** Bicycles are not allowed on the trails, but are allowed on paved roads and fire roads. Bike, skateboard and scooter riders under 18 years of age must wear helmets by law.

**MOTORIZED VEHICLES:** Motorized vehicles are not permitted on trails or fire roads. All vehicles and operators must be licensed for the street. California helmet laws apply to motorcycles, motor-driven cycles and motorized bicycles. Passengers in the back of open-bed pickup trucks are required to wear seat belt restraint devices.

**SPEED LIMITS:** Speed limits are posted and strictly enforced. Remember, children and adults frequently cross the roadways. Please drive carefully.

**ANIMALS:** Bears, raccoons and squirrels are native to this area and commonly visit the campgrounds. Please DO NOT FEED the animals.

**BEAR WARNING:** Bears may come into the campground at any time, day or night. Please lock all food

and scented items in the bear-resistant food locker at all times, except when actually preparing food or eating. Do not keep food in your tent, sleeping area or in exposed ice chests. Place all waste in dumpsters as soon as possible. Improper food storage could result in a citation, with a maximum fine of \$1,000 and/or ejection from the park per California Code of Regulations 4323(b).

**PETS:** Pets must be leashed and controlled at all times. They must be inside a tent or vehicle at night. Pets are permitted on paved roads and fire roads, and in day-use areas and campgrounds. Except for service animals, pets are prohibited from the five developed trails, waterways and beaches. Do not leave your pet unattended at the campsite.

**HOOKUPS:** There are no R.V. hookups at the campsites; do not leave hoses connected to park faucets. You may refill water tanks at the ranger station.

**WASTE WATER:** Collect waste water from dishwashing, trailer, or R.V. drains. Dispose of it in any restroom toilet.

**RESPECT PARK PROPERTY:** Please respect the tables, posts, and trees and do not cut, carve or drive nails into them.

**If you have any questions** or need further assistance, please contact our park staff. We hope your visit here at Calaveras Big Trees State Park is a memorable one and that you will return.

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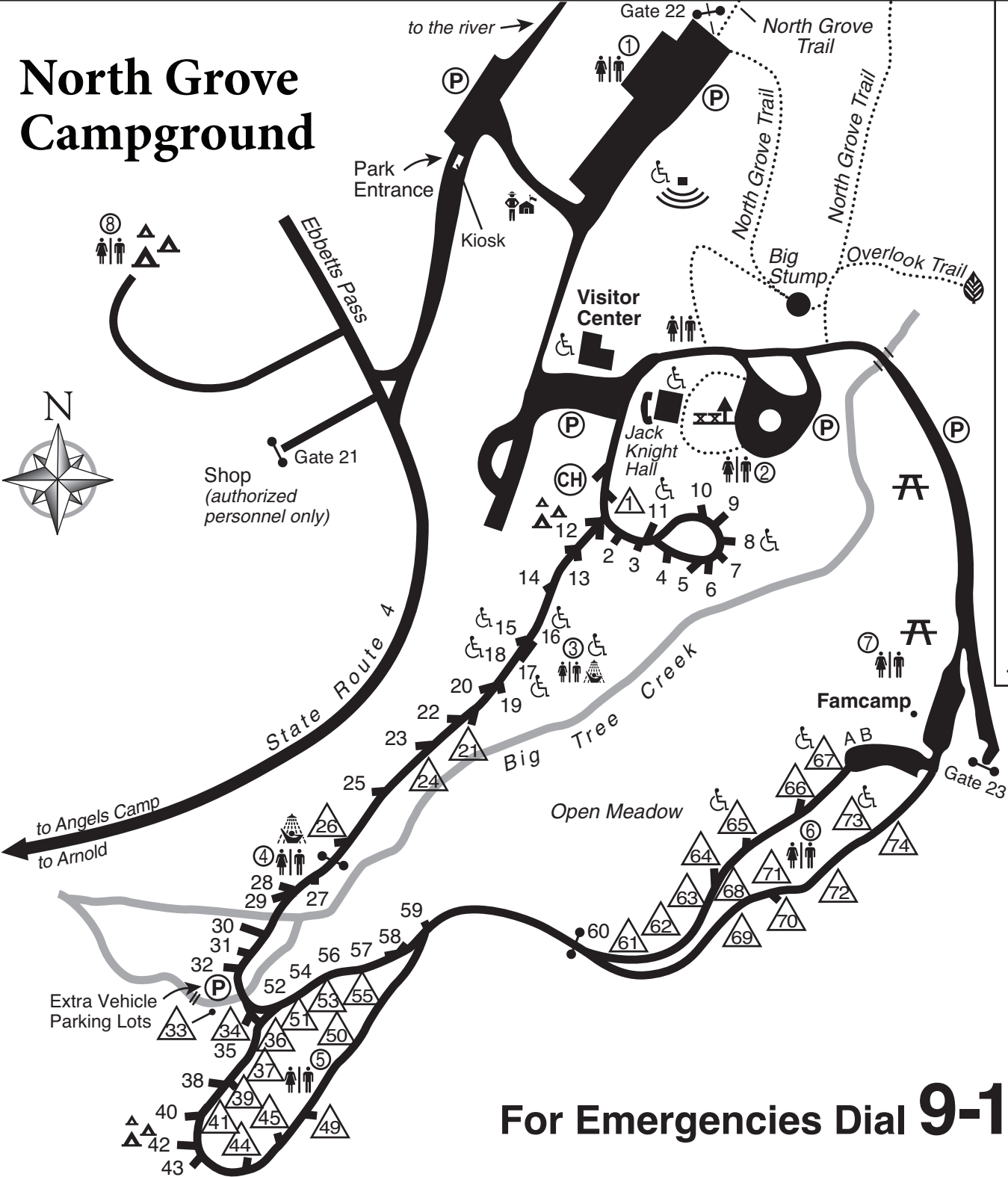
CAMPING RESERVATIONS: You may make camping reservations by calling (800) 444-7275 (TTY 800-274-7275).

To make online reservations, visit our website at [www.parks.ca.gov](http://www.parks.ca.gov)

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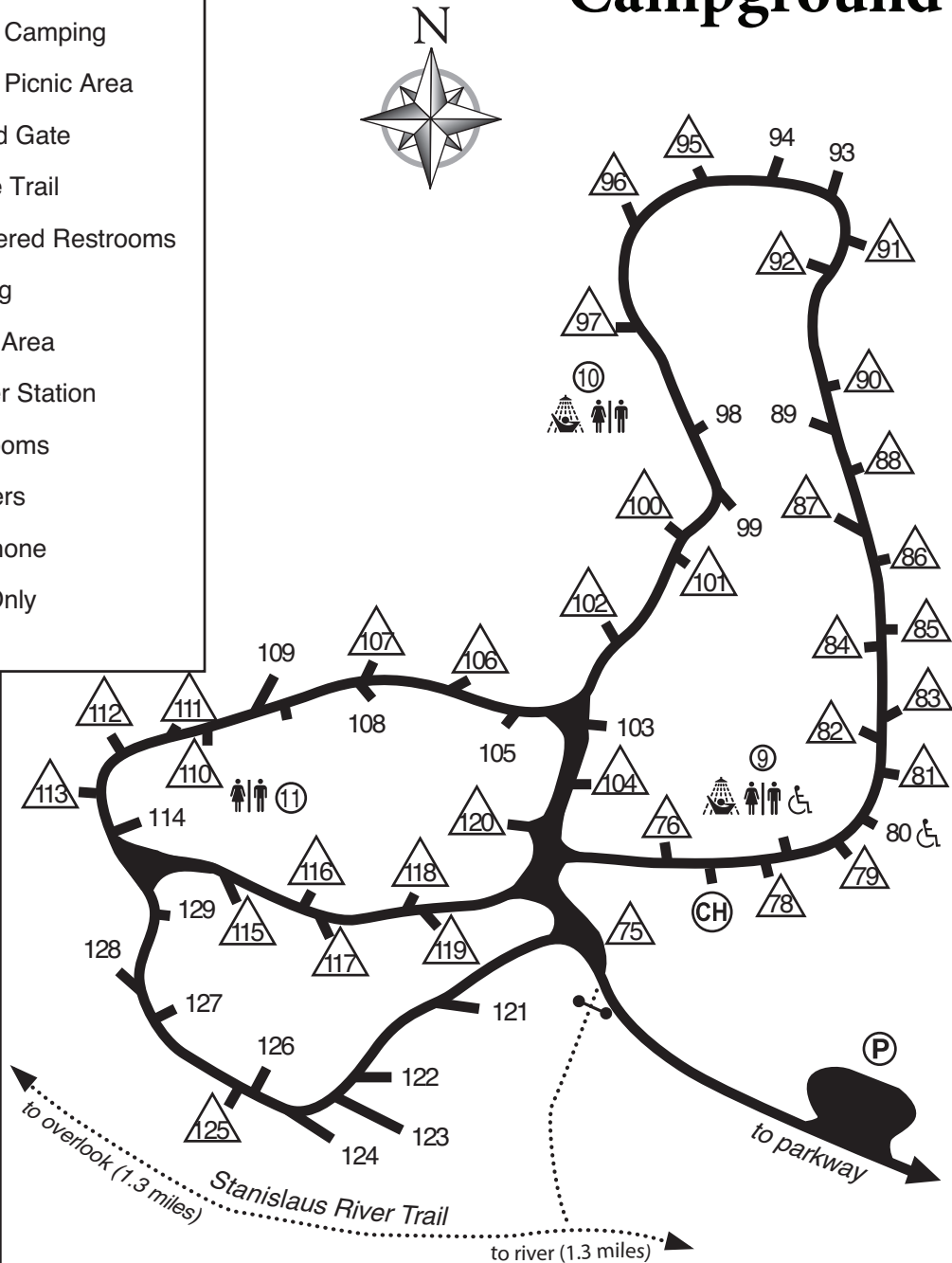
# North Grove Campground



### LEGEND

- Accessible Feature
- Camp Host
- Campfire Center
- Group Camping
- Group Picnic Area
- Locked Gate
- Nature Trail
- Numbered Restrooms
- Parking
- Picnic Area
- Ranger Station
- Restrooms
- Showers
- Telephone
- Tent Only
- Trail

# Oak Hollow Campground



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